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A Russian Suicide Leaves a Confession of Conspiracy

By Which He Was Chosen to to Slay Alexander III.

Rather Than Commit the Deed He Takes His Own Lig-Several of His Accomplices Arrested - The Czar and the Warning of Mme. Tschebrikova-The Pope and Francis Joseph-Foreign.

London, April 8.—A dispach from St. Petersburg to The Daily Telegraph says that a man who committed suicide there yesterday left a letter in which he confessed that he had been engaged in a conspiracy against the life of the czar.

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The letter said that the writer and his fellow-conspirators had drawn ballots to decide which should take the czar's life and the lot had fallen to the writer, who, rather than commit the deed, had determined to take his own life. The letter also gave the names of the writer's accomplices, several of whom have been arrested.

Mine. Tschebrikova's Warning

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St. Petersburko, April 3.—It is reported that Mme. Tschebrikova, the Russian lady who recently wrote a letter to the czar calling attention to the political situation of the country, has been secretly conducted to Siteria.

Another report received here states that Mme. Tschebrikova was released by order of the czar, and that the czar wrote upon the margin of the letter sent him by Mme. Tschebrikova: "This is bitterly written. Nevertheless the author can be left alone." An unknown man, supposed to be an Italian, was found dead and badly mangled on the railroad track at Athena, O., Monday,

Mr. W. A. Frazier, United States consul at Grand Manun, N. B., is suffering from peritonitis, and his recovery is considered doubtful.

A Monument to Blamarek. Berlin, April 3.—A committee comprising influential members of all shades of political opinion. of which Herr Von Levetzow, president of the reichstag, is president, has issued an invitation to the public to subscribe to a fund for the erection of a National monument in Berlin to Prince Bismarck. The committee will invite Emperor William to become patron of the undertaking.

Austria and the Vatican. Austria and the Vatican.

ROME, April 3.—The Tribune's Vienna correspondent says that negotiations have been in progress for several months between the Emperor of Austria and the atican which may lead to the cession of the troublesome province of Trient to the holy father as a residence. The offer has been actually made, and only an answer from the Vatican is awaited.

English Revenue Returns. LONDON, April 3.—The revenue returns for the iscal year 1889-90, show an increase in receipts of £4,617,024, of which £1,100,030 is due to augmented taxation, allowing for sums paid for local taxation in 1889-90, the net revenue has increased £831,500.

Foreign Notes. Gen. Ambert is dead. He was in the 80th

year of his age.

Mr. Henry M. Stanley will be the guest of the Spanish consul at Nice for a week. The Figure states that Queen Victoria will have a conference with the Emperor William at Darmstadt.

It is reported that Saint Saens is living quietly at Vienna.

The Dutch police officials believe that a suicide found on the banks of the Moswe is none other than that of Eyraud the Parisian strangler.

The disorders among the Russian students at the military academy and the institute of numes and forestry continue, and further ar

A peldler named Cronister was shot and instantly killed by some unknown person while calling on a widow named Reed, on a farm north of Omaha. A farm hand, Tony rests have been made.

Several high officials in the mining districts of Chita and Verchnierdinsk, including two owners of gold mines, have, accord-

ing to Stherian newspapers, been imprisoned for peculation and bribery.

Letters of a most friendly nature have been exchanged between the czar and Prince Bismarck. In his communication the prince expressed the belief that recent events would in no wise disturb the relations between the two empires.

larree excises of unknown persons have been found buried together in a but on the Ebor ranch, Big Horu basin, Colorado. Their heads had been crushed by an ax. Two were women and one a man. There is no clew to their identity. two empires.

The czar and czarina recently paid a visit St. Joseph's Catholic convent at Milwau-kee, Wis., was burned Monday night with \$70,000 los. Sister Blanker was fatally into the military prison. They conversed with the prisoners and asked them to state the causes which led to their imprisonment. The cause ordered the release of sixty of the pris-

The Marine Matched

San Francisco, April 3.—Directors of the California Athletic club Monday night matched John F. Herget and George La Blanche, the Marine, for a finish battle June 17. The purse will be \$3,000, of which \$500 will go to the loser.

CONGRESS.

Eighty-Third Day.

adjourned.

In the house—Several unimportant bills

In the house—Several unimportant bills were passed and a resolution adopted calling for information regarding changes in foreign countries since 1872 in rates of duty on breadstuffs. The conference report on the urgent dediciency bill was agreed to. A bill was passed depriving United States judges of the authority to give an opinion on a question of fact. Several other court bills were passed. The army appropriation bill was reported to the house. The canteen amendment was restored, 52 to 135, and the bill was passed. A joint resolution authorizing the president to retire N. P. Banks with the rank of major general was referred, and at 5:35 p. m. the house adjourned.

FEMALE WHITE CAPS.

A Married Man Gets Too Gay to Suit His

Wife and Her Friends.

mes which led to their imprisonment. The jured in jumping from a fourth-story windows and a reduction of sentences of sixty of the prison and a reduction of sentences of sixty injured. others.

The London Times says that Prince Bismarck, in relinquishing the office of chancellor while the political sky was clear, showed
the same patriotic foresight that has been
the distinguishing trait of his career. "As
to the future of Germany," the paper adds,
"there is not the least reason for lugularious Jerome Baker, living near Home, N. Y., was found dead Sunday with his throat cut. His son was discovered in bed, bleeding from

wounds inflicted with a razor, and was arfather. Jerome was once wealthy, but lost his fortune by speculating. Bills Signed by the President. Washington, April 3.—The president has signed the bill suspending the enforcement of the law requiring life saving appliances on steamers; also, the act for the relief of the owners, officers and crew of the British bark Chance; also, the bill granting an increase of pension to Elmer A. Snow.

and Pulaski.

his fortune by speculating.

W. D. Prentice, at one time a noted desperado, was shot and killed Monday on a ranch near Virginia, Nev., by John Taylor, the owner of the place. Prentice's neck was almost severed by the load of buckshot. The men quarreled over the ownership of a horse. Taylor surrendered to the sheriff.

At the weekly meeting of the Methodist ministers of Chicago the Rev. R. D. Shepard read a paper entitled "The Attitude of Rome Toward Our System of Education," in which he made a fierce attack on the Catholic church and its methods in propagand-ism. An acrimonious discussion followed the reading.

The executive committee of the New Eng land Shoe and Louther association voted that they were opposed to any increase in the duty on flax or linen thread, and that a drong jetition should be prepared and cir-mlated for signatures, to be forwarded to the ways and means committee in Washing

Eighty-Third Day.

In the senate—Mr. Reagan spoke on the silver question. The dependent pension bill was taken up. Mr. Plumb's amendment, removing limitations on arrears, was defeated, 46 to 9: also, Cell's amhndment including soldiers of Indian wars, year 20, nays 28. Vest's amendment for an income tax to meet the proposed appenditure was laid on the table. Plumb's amendment to pay \$8 a month to ninety day men over 62 years old was rejected. The bill was then passed—year 42, nays 12. At 5:40 p. m. the senate adjourned. A bill was introduced in the Canadian house to exclude all newcomers, or aliena from appointments under the government until they have resided five years in that country. For many years past young En-glishmen have received the lest appoint-ments. It was withdrawn on the promise of the government to amend matters.

THE OCEAN RACER'S FATE.

What Happened to the Engines of the City of Paris.

LONDON, Apri. 3.—One of the engin-ers of the City of Paris says: "What has happened to the City of Paris is something that nobody knows. It is certain that something gave way, but what that was, and how it managed

but what that was, and how it managed to produce the general smash, is as yet a mystery. The City of Paris was an experiment in several respects. Notody on board is in anyway to blame for the accident. If anybody is to blame it is the makers and builders, for the break was something that nobody could possibly foresee. I was in the engine room shortly before it happened.

"Everything was working smoothly. A little later, when I was on deck, I felt the break followed by a queer vortical motion and shaking up and down. Then came a series of quick, heavy knocks, like two heavy masses of metal being hastily knocked together. Then came a general crash and everything stopped. The crash was general. The engine seemed to go all to pieces. The passengers made the best of it in a brave kind of way. Everybody understood the danger when the life-boat was sent out to lie in the steamers' track and get us in tow. Wife and Her Friends.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., April 3.—
Sunday evening at Alamo, a few miles west of here, William Grimes was assaulted by a crowd of women and given a whipping. He had deserted a young wife and child and was paying so much attention to other young lades of the neighborhood that public sentiment was aroused almost to the point of White Capping him.

Sunday evening he accompanied a young lady to church, and as he was seeing ber home they were waylaid by a party of indignant females. His wife was one of the attacking party, and beliabored her recreams husband with a

in coming back. What saved the City of Paris from foundering was, first, the bulkheads, and secondly, the weather, but the bulkheads could not have saved her if there had been any weather contend with."

board as hard as she could. Harmon Deets, a neighbor, was with the women to see that that they did the case full justice. Monday morning he was fined for assault and battery, although he only seconded the fight. Quite a crowd was attracted by the cries of the victim, but did not offer to interfere with the castication. Had a Hole in Her Bottom. Had a Hole in Her Bettom.

QUEENSTOWN, April 8.—The sections of the engine room of the disabled steamship City of Paris have been finally freed of water. A number of additional steam pumps were set to work Monday and Tuesday the water was entirely pumped out. The steamship now appears to have her usual draught. The divers succeeded in staunching the ingress of water. Quite a large hole was found in the bottom of the steamer. The officials of the Inman line ship have decided to have the disabled vessel towed to Liverpool.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Condensation of Interesting Items on

The Illinois house passed the anti-trus

Chicago plumbers have struck for eight

A falling tree killed William Justin near

David Chambers was found dead near

Harronsburg, ind.

Three colored men were drowned near
Gallatin, Tonn., by the capsizing of a boat,
William Sayre returned to Muncie, Ind.,
after an unexplained absence of thirty-

The colored janitor of the Salem, Mass., costoffice has confessed to robbing the mails

The remains of Frank Green, drowned in

the Mahoning river at Youngstown, O., Feb. 7, were found, Monday, three miles

At Easten, Pa., an unknown person fired a builet through the window of the residence of Rev. O. Bartholomew. The would-be

assissin misser ins ann.

Edward Happy, the son of a rich Louis-ville, Ky, merchant, has been lost in the Rig Horn mountains three weeks, and is be-

The motion for a new trial entered by the

Michael Bell, aged 54 years, died Monday night, and Antonio Refsi, aged 58 years, was dying, from the effect of wounds re-ceived in a riot of Italian railroad laborers

at Stop's Ferry, Pa., two weeks ago,
Samuel Smith has flied suit at Columbus,
Ind., against the Pennsylvania railroad
company, operating the Jeffersonville, Madi-son and Indianapolis road, for \$14,0.0 dam-

ages for injuries received in a wrock last

Frank, who had been courting the widow,

Three bodies of unknown persons have

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eight yours.

for three years.

down the river.

lieved to have perished.

THE COLOR QUESTION AGAIN.

Diocesan Convention to Be Held at Char CHARLESTON, S. C., April 3.—The dio-cean convention which will meet here on May 7, will have again to wrestle with the negro problem. In 1856 nearly half of the delegates secoded from the convention because the bishop almitted a negro clergyman. Various efforts have been made to effect a compromise but without much success. The congregation of St. Phillips' church, in this city, promises to divide on the question.

Two manifestos were issued Monday by the contending factions. The conservative faction are ready to admit the Rev. I. H. M. Pellard, the colored rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church, with the proviso that no other colored clergyman shall be admitted. on May 7, will have again to wrestle for three years.

Elmer I. Sharkey, of Eaton, O., convicted of murdering his mother, has been sentenced to be hanged Aug. I.

Brayton Ivee has succeeded C. N. Jordon as president and director of the Western National bank, in New York.

Portions of a human body were found in Bloody run, a rivulet near Detroit. The police cannot account for the discovery.

The Iowa legislature has passed the anti-trust bill, which provides penalties of \$500 to \$5,000 and imprisonment for one year.

Plainfield's, N. J., chief of police is dismissed, after having found three aldermen in an all-night saloon be raided after 1 a. m. An unknown man, supposed to be an

A Farmer Mysteriously Missing. HAMILTON, O., April 3.—Ralph Clarke, a young farmer of New London, well connected, is mysteriously missing. He left for Cincinnati last Tuesday, presumably to purchase a team of mules, and before leaving sold all his household consessions obtaining about \$220.6 for the possessions, obtaining about \$300 for the same. He was last seen by his 'bus driver, who ate with him in a Cincinnati restaurant. He was married last Christmas. His brother and the young man named Brown were in Cincinnati yesterday searching for him, without success.

"My Wife Shot Me."

CARROLL, Iowa, April 8,—At 2 p. m. Monday Stanley Wilcox was fatally shot by his wife. He rushed brom the house where he lived and fell prostrate in a store adjoining crying, "My wife shot me." Mrs. Wilcox was found in her room sobbing violently. A revolver with one chamber empty was lying by her side. She was placed in jail. Nothing is known of the cause of the crime, but it is no secret that they have not been living happily and bear a rather hard name. "My Wife Shot Me." A new York assembly bill provides a fine of \$1,000 and one year imprisonment for any person who prevents a colored person from enjoying any resort or convenience open to the public. The motion for a new trial entered by the attorneys of Jerry O'Donnell, who was convicted as being a party to the attempt to pack the Cronin jury, has been overruled by Judge Waterman, of Chicago.

The largest bond ever made in Pittsburg by a guardian was given in the orphans' court by Milton L. Meyers, as guardian of Theodore R. Hestetter, son of the late Dr. Hostetter. It was for \$5,000,000.

Michael Bell, area; 54 years, died Monday.

Ice in the Mackinaw Straits. Ice in the Mackinaw straits.

Mackinaw City, Mich., April 3.—The ice is solid at this point, and for ten or twelve miles below, as at any time during the winter. Eight teams loaded with lumber crossed the straits to Mackinaw island Saturday and Bunday. Three teams went from Gros Cap to Waugoshance. The weather for several days has been freezing, and three inches of solid ice has formed. There is not one chance in a thousand of the straits opening before the 15th.

Shocking Death of a Drunken Man. TOLEDO, O., April 3.—John Richter, a laboring man, aged 45, was found dead Monday morning, face down and with his neck across a railing which surrounded an area-way at a saloen on Buckingham street. Richter, who had been drinking for two days, attempted to enter the saloon and fell against the railing, and being unable to recain his May.

Grant Sherman was lodged in jail at Logansport, Ind., Monday, on a charge of horse stealing. He is a member of a gang that has been operating for a long time in the counties of Cass, White, Fulton, Miami railing, and being unable to regain his feet, choked to death. He leaves a widow and nine children.

DAUGHTERS OF EVE

Ella Wheeler Wilcox "wears a circlet of lewels on her thumb," according to a vera-

Mrs. Gladstone is 75 years old and takes as much interest in the politics of the day does her distinguished husband. A woman's magazine in the Bengal language

has been issued monthly, several years, by Mrs. Ghosal, a wealthy Hindoo lady.

Miss S. Rajahgopaul, of Madras, has trans-lated and adapted a collection of kindergarten songs for the children of southern India.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sands, widow of one of the "Old Defenders," is supposed to be the oblest living person in Baltimore. She is 101 years of age. Miss Eliza Porter, a young lady of West

Virginia, owns a saw and grist mill on Camp creek, Bone county, which she conducts her-self, and she is laying the foundation of a

Miss Braddon, the authorses, is angular of build, sandy of hair and ruddy of complexion; she writes steadily four days a week, and de votes the other two to riding and her collec-

tion of newspaper clippings on out of the way subjects.
Lady Dufferin, in her clever book relating
her experiences of "Viceregal Life in India,"
says that the English are rapidly spotling the
exquisite tests of the East Indians by sending out dolls dressed in the height of fashion and English made clothing to distribute among the children in the schools.

The late Mrs. Ann D. Carter, of Media, Pa. was the mother of twenty-one children. Her husband has ordered a stone to mark her grave, which, after giving the date of her birth and death, has the following lines cut in the marble:

"Some have children and some have none, But here lies the mother of twenty-one." But here les the mother of twenty-one."

Louise Michel, nicknamed "the stormy
petrouleuse of French politics," has a face
flaming with color. Says a writer: "From
the center of her extricts egg-shaped forehead
her untily hair cascades upon her needs. She
dresses in black, and no ribbon, flower or
tessel shows trace of femining grace. Her jewel shows trace of faminine grace. Here syes are not flerce. They are filled with tenderness—that tenderness which is the origin of all socialism. For Louise Michel is more a Socialist by heart than by reason."

STRANGE PUNISHMENTS.

In 1206 a pig was burnt at Fontenay-aux Roses, near Paris, for having eaten a child. In 1386 a judge at Falaise condemned a now to be mutilated and hanges! for eating a child. In 1389 a horse was evicantly tried before the magistrate and condemned to death for having killed a man.

In 1604, during the witch persecutions in New England, a log exhibited such strange symptoms of affliction that he was believed to have been ridden by a warlock, and he was accordingly hauged. "Criminal" animals frequently explated their offenses, like other malefactors, on the

gallows, but subsequently they were sum-marily killed without trial and their owners nulcted in beavy damages. During the Fourteenth century ozen and cows might be legally killed whenever taken in the act of marauding, and asses, for a first offense, had one ear cropped, for a second offense the other ear, and if after this they

were ames enough to commit a third offense their lives became forfeit to the crown. In the Fifsenth century cocks were somewhat credited with the power of laying accursed eggs, from which sprang winged serpents. In 1474, at Bale, a cook was publicly accused of having laid one of those dreadful eggs. He was tried, sentenced to death, and, together with his egg, was burned by the executioner in the market place amid a great concourse of people.—All the Year Round. She Was Completely Cured.

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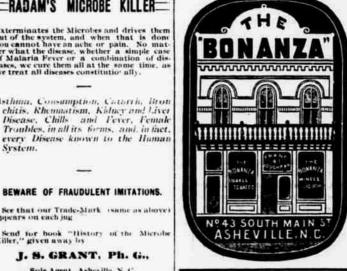
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